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BIRDS PROTECTED BY FEDERAL LAW

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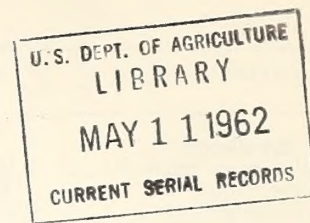
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A.O.U. No.	COMMON NAME	A.O.U. No.	COMMON NAME	A.O.U. No.	COMMON NAME
	Auks:		Ducks—Con.		Geese and Swans—Con.
32	Razorbill	157	Steller's Eider	176	Emperor Goose
30	Common Murre (Atlantic and California)	159	Common Eider (Northern, American, and Pacific)	171	White-fronted Goose
31	Thick-billed Murre (Brunnich's)	162	King Eider	169	Snow Goose
34	Dovekie	165	White-winged Scoter	169. 1	Blue Goose
27	Black Guillemot	166	Surf Scoter	170	Ross' Goose
29	Pigeon Guillemot	163	Common Scoter		Goatsuckers:
23	Marbled Murrelet	167	Ruddy Duck	416	Chuck-will's-widow
21	Ancient Murrelet	168	Masked Duck	417	Whip-poor-will
16	Cassin's Auklet	131	Hooded Merganser	418	Poor-will
17	Parakeet Auklet	129	Common Merganser	419	Pauraque
20	Least Auklet	130	Red-breasted Merganser	420	Common Nighthawk (Eastern)
15	Rhinoceros Auklet		Eagles:	421	Lesser Nighthawk (Texas)
13	Common Puffin	352	Bald Eagle		Grebes:
14	Horned Puffin		Flycatchers:	2	Red-necked Grebe (Holboell's)
12	Tufted Puffin	444	Eastern Kingbird		Horned Grebe
	Cranes:	445	Gray Kingbird	3	Eared Grebe
204	Whooping Crane	446	Tropical Kingbird (Couch's)	4	Western Grebe
205	Sandhill Crane (Little Brown and Florida)	447	Western Kingbird (Arkansas)	1	Pied-billed Grebe
	Creepers:	448	Cassin's Kingbird	6	Grosbeaks, Finches, Sparrows, and Buntings:
726	Brown Creeper	442	Fork-tailed Flycatcher		Cardinal
	Cuckoos:	443	Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	593	Pyrrhuloxia
386a	Mangrove Cuckoo (Maynard's)	449	Kiskadee Flycatcher (Derby)	594	Rose-breasted Grosbeak
387	Yellow-billed Cuckoo	451	Sulphur-bellied Flycatcher	595	Black-headed Grosbeak
388	Black-billed Cuckoo	452	Great Crested Flycatcher (Northern and Southern)	596	Blue Grosbeak
385	Roadrunner		Wied's Crested Flycatcher	597	Indigo Bunting
383	Smooth-billed Ani	453	Ash-throated Flycatcher	598	Lazuli Bunting
384	Groove-billed Ani	454	Olivaceous Flycatcher	599	Varied Bunting
	Ducks:	455a	Eastern Phoebe	600	Painted Bunting
177	Black-bellied Tree Duck	456	Black Phoebe	601	Dickcissel
178	Fulvous Tree Duck	458	Say's Phoebe	604	Evening Grosbeak
132	Mallard	457	Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	517	Purple Finch
133. 1	Mexican Duck (New Mexican)	463	Acadian Flycatcher	518	Cassin's Finch
133	Black Duck	465	Trail's Flycatcher (Little and Alder)	519	House Finch
134	Mottled Duck (Florida and Louisiana)	466	Least Flycatcher	602	White-collared Seedeater
135	Gadwall	467	Hammond's Flycatcher	515	Pine Grosbeak
143	Pintail	468	Dusky Flycatcher	533	Pine Siskin
138	Common Teal (European)	469	Gray Flycatcher	529	American Goldfinch
139	Green-winged Teal	469. 1	Western Flycatcher	530	Lesser Goldfinch (Arkansas)
140	Blue-winged Teal	464	Buff-breasted Flycatcher		Lawrence's Goldfinch
141	Cinnamon Teal	470a	Coues's Flycatcher	521	Red Crossbill (Bendire's and other subspecies)
136	European Widgeon	461	Eastern Wood Pewee		Olive Sparrow (Texas)
137	American Widgeon	462	Western Wood Pewee	586	Green-tailed Towhee
142	Shoveler	459	Olive-sided Flycatcher	592. 1	Rufous-sided Towhee
144	Wood Duck	471	Vermilion Flycatcher	591	Brown Towhee
146	Redhead	472	Beardless Flycatcher	592	Albert's Towhee
150	Ring-necked Duck		Gannets:	605	Lark Bunting
147	Canvasback		Gannet	542	Savannah Sparrow (Belding's and Large-billed)
148	Greater Scaup	117	Geese and Swans:		Grasshopper Sparrow
149	Lesser Scaup	180	Whistling Swan	546	Baird's Sparrow
151	Common Goldeneye	181	Trumpeter Swan	545	Vesper Sparrow
152	Barrow's Goldeneye	172	Canada Goose	540	Lark Sparrow
153	Bufflehead	173	Brant	552	Rufous-winged Sparrow
154	Oldsquaw	174	Black Brant	579	Rufous-crowned Sparrow
155	Harlequin Duck	175	Barnacle Goose	580	

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	Grosbeaks, Finches, Sparrows, and Bunt- ings: Con.		Hummingbirds—Con.		Pigeons and Doves—Con.
576	Botteri's Sparrow.....	439	Buff-bellied Hummingbird.....	316	Mourning Dove.....
578	Cassin's Sparrow.....	440. 1	White-eared Hummingbird.....	320	Ground Dove.....
573	Black-throated Sparrow.....	441	Broad-billed Hummingbird.....	321	Inca Dove.....
574	Sage Sparrow (Bell's).....	474	Larks:	318	White-fronted Dove.....
567	Slate-colored Junco.....	7	Horned Lark.....	322. 1	Ruddy Quail-dove.....
567a	Oregon Junco (Shufeldt's, Pink-sided, and other subspecies).....	8	Loons:		Rails and Gallinules:
570b	Gray-headed Junco.....	10	Common Loon.....	208	King Rail.....
570	Mexican Junco.....	11	Yellow-billed Loon.....	210	Clapper Rail.....
560	Chipping Sparrow.....		Arctic Loon (Pacific).....	212	Virginia Rail.....
561	Clay-colored Sparrow.....	494	Red-throated Loon.....	214	Sora.....
562	Brewer's Sparrow.....	501	Meadowlarks, Orioles, and Blackbirds:	215	Yellow Rail.....
563	Field Sparrow.....		Bobolink.....	216	Black Rail.....
564	Worthen's Sparrow.....	501. 1	Eastern Meadowlark (Southern and Rio Grande).....	218	Purple Gallinule.....
565	Black-chinned Sparrow.....	497	Western Meadowlark.....	219.	Common Gallinule.....
554	White-crowned Sparrow.....	498	*Yellow-headed Blackbird.....	221	American Coot.....
557	Golden-crowned Sparrow.....	500	*Redwinged Blackbird.....		Shorebirds:
558	White-throated Sparrow.....	506	*Tricolored Blackbird.....	286	American Oystercatcher.....
585	Fox Sparrow.....	503	Orchard Oriole.....	287	Black Oystercatcher.....
583	Lincoln's Sparrow.....		Black-headed Oriole (Au- dubon's).....	274	Semipalmated Plover.....
584	Swamp Sparrow.....	503. 2	Spotted-breasted Oriole.....	277	Piping Plover.....
581	Song Sparrow.....	505	Hooded Oriole (Sennett's).....	278	Snowy Plover.....
539	McCown's Longspur.....	504	Scott's Oriole.....	280	Wilson's Plover.....
538	Chestnut-collared Longspur.....	507	Baltimore Oriole.....	273	Killdeer.....
	Gulls:	508	Bullock's Oriole.....	281	Mountain Plover.....
42	Glaucous Gull.....	509	Rusty Blackbird.....	272	American Golden Plover (Atlantic and Pacific).....
43	Iceland Gull.....	510	*Brewer's Blackbird.....	270	Black-bellied Plover.....
44	Glaucous-winged Gull.....	513	*Boat-tailed Grackle.....	282	Surfbird.....
47	Great Black-backed Gull.....	511	*Common Grackle.....	283	Ruddy Turnstone.....
49	Western Gull.....	495	*Brown-headed Cowbird (Eastern, Nevada, Cal- ifornia, and Dwarf).....	284	Black Turnstone.....
51	Herring Gull.....		*Bronzed Cowbird (Red- eyed).....	228	American Woodcock.....
53	California Gull.....		Mockingbirds and Thrashers:	230	Common Snipe (Wilson's).....
54	Ring-billed Gull.....	496	Mockingbird.....	264	Long-billed Curlew.....
55	Mew Gull.....		Catbird.....	265	Whimbrel (Hudsonian curlew).....
58	Laughing Gull.....		Brown Thrasher.....	266	Eskimo Curlew.....
59	Franklin's Gull.....		Long-billed Thrasher (Sennett's).....	261	Upland Plover.....
60	Bonaparte's Gull.....	703	Bendire's Thrasher.....	263	Spotted Sandpiper.....
57	Heermann's Gull.....	704	Curve-billed Thrasher.....	256	Solitary Sandpiper.....
39	Ivory Gull.....	705	California Thrasher.....	259	Wandering Tattler.....
40	Black-legged Kittiwake (Atlantic and Pacific).....	706	Le Conte's Thrasher.....	258	Willet.....
	Herons:		Crissal Thrasher.....	254	Greater Yellowlegs.....
194	Great Blue Heron.....	708	Sage Thrasher.....	255	Lesser Yellowlegs.....
201	Green Heron.....	707	Nuthatches:	234	Knot.....
200	Little Blue Heron.....	710	White-breasted Nuthatch.....	235	Purple Sandpiper.....
196	Common Egret.....	711	Red-breasted Nuthatch.....	235a-d	Rock Sandpiper (Aleutian).....
197	Snowy Egret.....	712	Pigmy Nuthatch.....	238	Sharp-tailed Sandpiper.....
199	Louisiana Heron.....	702	Petrels and Shear- waters:	239	Pectoral Sandpiper.....
202	Black-crowned Night Heron.....		Fulmar (Atlantic and Pacific).....	240	White-rumped Sandpiper.....
203	Yellow-crowned Night Heron.....	730	Cory's Shearwater.....	241	Baird's Sandpiper.....
	Hummingbirds:		Pink-footed Shearwater.....	242	Least Sandpiper.....
437	Lucifer Hummingbird.....	91	Pale-footed Shearwater.....	244	Curlew Sandpiper.....
428	Ruby-throated Humming- bird.....	95. 1	Greater Shearwater.....	243	Dunlin (Red-backed Sandpiper).....
429	Black-chinned Humming- bird.....	96. 2	New Zealand Shearwater.....	231	Short-billed Dowitcher.....
430	Costa's Hummingbird.....	95	Sooty Shearwater.....	232	Long-billed Dowitcher.....
431	Anna's Hummingbird.....	96	Slender-billed Shearwater.....	233	Stilt Sandpiper.....
432	Broad-tailed Humming- bird.....	93	Manx Shearwater.....	246	Semipalmated Sandpiper.....
433	Rufous Hummingbird.....	105	Fork-tailed Petrel.....	247	Western Sandpiper.....
434	Allen's Hummingbird.....	106	Leach's Petrel.....	262	Buff-breasted Sandpiper.....
435	Heloise's Hummingbird.....	109	Wilson's Petrel.....	249	Marbled Godwit.....
436	Calliope Hummingbird.....		Phainopeplas:	251	Hudsonian Godwit.....
426	Rivoli's Hummingbird.....	620	Phainopeplas.....	248	Sanderling.....
427	Blue-throated Humming- bird.....		Pigeons and Doves:	225	American Avocet.....
			White-crowned Pigeon.....	226	Black-necked Stilt.....
			Band-tailed Pigeon.....	222	Red Phalarope.....
			Red-billed Pigeon.....	224	Wilson's Phalarope.....
			Zenaida Dove.....	223	Northern Phalarope.....
			White-winged Dove.....		Shrikes:
				621	Northern Shrike.....
				622	Loggerhead Shrike.....
					Skuas and Jaegers:
				36	Pomarine Jaeger.....
				37	Parasitic Jaeger.....
				38	Long-tailed Jaeger.....
				35	Skua.....

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	Swallows:		Vireos:		Warblers—Con.
615	Violet-green Swallow.....	630	Black-capped Vireo.....	681	Yellowthroat.....
614	Tree Swallow.....	631	White-eyed Vireo.....	682. 1	Ground-chat.....
616	Bank Swallow.....	632	Hutton's Vireo.....	683	Yellow-breasted Chat.....
617	Rough-winged Swallow.....	633	Bell's Vireo.....	690	Red-faced Warbler.....
613	Barn Swallow.....	634	Gray Vireo.....	684	Hooded Warbler.....
612	Cliff Swallow.....	628	Yellow-throated Vireo.....	685	Wilson's Warbler.....
612. 1	Cave Swallow (Cuban and Coahuila Cliff).....	629	Solitary Vireo (Blue-headed and other subspecies).....	686	Canada Warbler.....
611	Purple Martin.....	624	Red-eyed Vireo.....	687	American Redstart.....
611. 2	Gray-breasted Martin.....	626	Philadelphia Vireo.....	688	Painted Redstart.....
	Swifts:	627	Warbling Vireo.....		Waxwings:
422	Black Swift.....		Wagtails and Pipits:	618	Bohemian Waxwing.....
423	Chimney Swift.....	697	Water Pipit (American).....	619	Cedar Waxwing.....
424	Vaux's Swift.....	700	Sprague's Pipit.....		Willow warblers, Kinglets, and Gnatcatchers:
425	White-throated Swift.....		Warblers:		Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
	Tanagers:	636	Black-and-white Warbler.....	751	(Western and San Lucas)
607	Western Tanager.....	637	Prothonotary Warbler.....	752	Black-tailed Gnatcatcher
608	Scarlet Tanager.....	638	Swainson's Warbler.....		(Plumbeous and other
609	Hepatic Tanager.....	639	Worm-eating Warbler.....		subspecies)
610	Summer Tanager.....	642	Golden-winged Warbler.....	748	Golden-crowned Kinglet..
	Terns:	641	Blue-winged Warbler.....	749	Ruby-crowned Kinglet..
63	Gull-billed Tern.....	647	Tennessee Warbler.....		Woodpeckers:
69	Forster's Tern.....	646	Orange-crowned Warbler.....	412	Yellow-shafted Flicker
70	Common Tern.....	645	Nashville Warbler.....		(Northern and Southern)
71	Arctic Tern.....	644	Virginia's Warbler.....	413	Red-shafted Flicker.....
72	Roseate Tern.....	647. 1	Colima Warbler.....	414	Gilded Flicker.....
74	Least Tern.....	643	Lucy's Warbler.....	405	Pileated Woodpecker.....
67	Sandwich Tern (Cabot's).....	648	Parula Warbler.....	409	Red-bellied Woodpecker..
64	Caspian Tern.....	649	Olive-backed Warbler (Sennett's).....	410	Golden-fronted Wood- pecker.....
77	Black Tern.....		Olive Warbler.....	411	Gila Woodpecker.....
	Thrushes:	651	Yellow Warbler.....	406	Red-headed Woodpecker..
761	Robin.....	652	Magnolia Warbler.....	407	Acorn Woodpecker (Cali- fornia and other sub- species).....
763	Varied Thrush.....	657	Cape May Warbler.....	408	Lewis' Woodpecker.....
755	Wood Thrush.....	650	Black-throated Blue Warbler.....	402	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
759	Hermit Thrush.....	655	Myrtle Warbler.....		(Red-naped and Red- breasted)
758	Swainson's Thrush (Rus- set-backed and Olive- backed).....	656	Audubon's Warbler.....	404	Williamson's Sapsucker..
757	Gray-cheeked Thrush.....	665	Black-throated Gray Warbler.....	393	Hairy Woodpecker.....
756	Veery.....		Townsend's Warbler.....	394	Downy Woodpecker.....
766	Eastern Bluebird.....	668	Black-throated Green Warbler.....	396	Ladder-backed Wood- pecker (Texas, Cactus, and other subspecies).....
767	Western Bluebird.....	667	Golden-cheeked Warbler.....	397	Nuttall's Woodpecker.....
768	Mountain Bluebird.....	666	Hermit Warbler.....	398	Arizona Woodpecker.....
765	Wheatear.....	658	Cerulean Warbler.....	399	White-headed Woodpecker
754	Townsend's Solitaire.....	662	Blackburnian Warbler.....	400	Black-backed Three-toed Woodpecker.....
	Titmice:	663	Yellow-throated Warbler.....	401	Northern Three-toed Wood- pecker.....
735	Black-capped Chickadee..	664	Grace's Warbler.....		Wrens:
737	Mexican Chickadee.....	659	Chestnut-sided Warbler.....	721	House Wren.....
738	Mountain Chickadee.....	660	Bay-breasted Warbler.....	721. 1	Brown-throated Wren...
739	Gray-headed Chickadee (Alaska).....	661	Blackpoll Warbler.....	722	Winter Wren.....
740	Boreal Chickadee (Hudson- ian).....	671	Pine Warbler.....	719	Bewick's Wren.....
741	Chestnut-backed Chickadee	670	Kirtland's Warbler.....	718	Carolina Wren.....
731	Tufted Titmouse.....	673	Prairie Warbler.....	713	Cactus Wren.....
732	Black-crested Titmouse...	672	Palm Warbler.....	725	Long-billed Marsh Wren..
733	Plain Titmouse.....	674	Ovenbird.....	724	Short-billed Marsh Wren..
734	Bridled Titmouse.....	675	Northern Waterthrush (Grinnell's).....	717	Canon Wren.....
746	Verdin.....		Louisiana Waterthrush..	715	Rock Wren.....
743	Common Bushtit (Coast, California, and other sub- species).....	676	Kentucky Warbler.....		
745	Black-eared Bush tit (Lloyd's).....	677	Connecticut Warbler.....		
		678	Mourning Warbler.....		
		679	MacGillivray's Warbler..		
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***CONTROL OF DEPREDATING BIRDS**—Authority: §§ 10.61 to 10.65 of Title 50, CFR, issued under sec. 3, 40 Stat. 755, as amended; 16 U.S.C. 704. Interpret or apply E.O. 10250, 16 F.R. 5385, 3 CFR, 1951 Supp.

§ 10.62 Depredating blackbirds, cowbirds and grackles.

Any person without a permit, may kill yellow-headed, red-winged, bi-colored red-winged, tri-colored red-winged, and Brewer's Blackbirds, cowbirds, and all grackles under the conditions and restrictions prescribed in this section when found committing or about to commit serious depredations upon any agricultural crop or ornamental or shade trees.

(a) No birds killed pursuant to this section nor the plumage of such birds shall be sold or offered for sale.

(b) Every person availing himself of the privileges of this section shall permit at all reasonable times, and particularly during any operations thereunder, any Federal or State game or deputy game agent, warden, protector, or other game law enforcement officer free and unrestricted access to the premises on which such operations have been or are being conducted and shall furnish promptly to such officer whatever information regarding said operations the officer may require.

(c) Nothing in this section shall be deemed to permit the killing of any of the aforesaid birds in violation of any State law or regulation, and if a State permit to kill the birds is required, such permit must be procured before the privileges conferred by this section are exercised. (50 CFR 10.62).

Some common birds which are not afforded protection by Federal law:

Ibises	Crows, ravens, jays
Pelicans	Starlings
Cormorants	English sparrows
Anhingas	Golden eagle, all hawks and owls

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